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NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Government of India vide letter No. 17013/37/2021-PR dated 23.04.2022 issued guidelines to grant Special Remission to certain categories of prisoners and release them on three phases – 15th August 2022, 26th January 2023 and 15th August, 2023 to celebrate "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahatsov" as a series of events to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of India's Independence;

Whereas, the Government of Sikkim vide Notification No. 68/Home/2022 dated 15/07/2022 constituted a State Level Screening Committee to identify the eligible prisoner(s) who satisfy the prescribed condition for remission and to make its recommendations to the State Government for the grant of Special Remission and release;

Whereas, the State Level Screening Committee has identified 01 (one) eligible convict as per the prescribed guidelines for the grant of Special Remission and recommended to the State Government for grant of Special Remission and release him on the occasion of Republic Day i.e. 26th January, 2023;

Whereas, the State Government has accepted the recommendation of the State Level Screening Committee;

Now, therefore, on the recommendation of State Level Screening Committee and in exercise of powers conferred under Article 161 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Sikkim is pleased to grant Special Remission and release to the following convict on the occasion of Republic Day, 26th January, 2023 :-

Sl. No.	Name of the convict	Date of Sentence	Actual date of release	Convicted for offence
i.	Phurba Tenzing Bhutia, Male/aged 34 years, r/o Sribadam, District Soreng	30.05.2016	02.03.2026	304-I/324/323 IPC 1860

By Order and in the name of the Governor.

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